

## MONTHLY REPORT OF STATE SALES AND USE TAX GROSS COLLECTIONS AND GROSS RETAIL SALES

Data are compiled from reports and remittances made by taxpayers, and are classified according to sales and use tax registration numbers. Detail data from this report may not be directly comparable to that in reports for other months because of corrections in registration numbers affecting collections and gross retail sales within the business, county, and city classifications, and changes in the sales and use tax law. **NO** county sales and use taxes are included in this report.

**TABLE 1. STATE SALES AND USE TAX: GROSS COLLECTIONS AND GROSS RETAIL SALES BY COUNTIES**

March 2002 Report

County	Gross Collections*	Gross Retail Sales**	County	Gross Collections*	Gross Retail Sales**
Alamance	\$ 3,345,130	\$ 119,455,562	Macon	\$ 785,849	\$ 28,659,985
Alexander	329,588	14,488,285	Madison	142,878	7,261,224
Alleghany	129,387	4,912,820	Martin	536,576	21,540,455
Anson	278,371	11,569,684	McDowell	583,374	30,128,730
Ashe	337,752	16,956,131	Mecklenburg	36,325,374	1,225,348,643
Avery	510,844	17,167,211	Mitchell	319,598	12,053,701
Beaufort	905,654	36,099,232	Montgomery	412,324	24,020,732
Bertie	83,892	5,158,514	Moore	1,783,145	70,159,800
Bladen	461,270	23,106,242	Nash	2,637,018	99,112,440
Brunswick	1,686,437	58,153,243	New Hanover	6,180,432	223,819,332
Buncombe	7,476,860	252,396,967	Northampton	93,534	3,946,924
Burke	1,258,102	49,804,974	Onslow	2,689,416	91,540,770
Cabarrus	4,097,434	163,433,006	Orange	2,824,024	102,874,370
Caldwell	1,160,075	48,681,148	Pamlico	123,457	4,434,284
Camden	66,959	2,087,179	Pasquotank	947,035	36,916,008
Carteret	1,493,275	50,603,636	Pender	305,326	15,295,371
Caswell	92,920	4,475,428	Perquimans	81,052	3,386,963
Catawba	4,716,712	167,618,414	Person	629,505	24,395,392
Chatham	696,449	30,057,383	Pitt	3,995,995	139,895,674
Cherokee	598,284	25,038,780	Polk	176,984	8,330,256
Chowan	191,459	9,158,343	Randolph	2,057,897	79,836,221
Clay	120,315	7,260,360	Richmond	872,337	29,714,003
Cleveland	1,922,980	76,700,266	Robeson	2,090,905	71,368,413
Columbus	958,701	35,913,726	Rockingham	1,232,007	52,633,529
Craven	1,890,321	68,385,828	Rowan	2,292,129	81,169,755
Cumberland	7,273,453	243,086,636	Rutherford	1,030,016	37,773,578
Currituck	286,732	11,490,359	Sampson	892,774	38,665,411
Dare	1,440,036	44,668,202	Scotland	714,676	24,664,984
Davidson	2,320,968	94,195,721	Stanly	1,359,081	52,744,510
Davie	473,341	19,963,149	Stokes	349,154	13,163,826
Duplin	621,091	24,667,462	Surry	1,676,164	80,357,295
Durham	10,488,155	327,553,514	Swain	119,457	4,351,531
Edgecombe	831,574	31,432,168	Transylvania	519,579	17,426,002
Forsyth	11,588,029	437,750,556	Tyrrell	28,459	1,454,352
Franklin	663,896	24,116,997	Union	2,607,594	105,056,269
Gaston	4,091,371	163,106,370	Vance	1,029,275	40,453,184
Gates	34,131	2,533,740	Wake	25,579,195	885,122,402
Graham	73,973	3,089,700	Warren	127,860	5,503,429
Granville	585,588	28,966,623	Washington	151,695	6,983,406
Greene	93,154	3,584,433	Watauga	1,407,236	39,323,959
Guilford	16,570,376	654,221,754	Wayne	2,624,664	89,209,723
Halifax	961,450	43,214,204	Wilkes	1,188,490	64,633,323
Harnett	1,185,053	41,682,961	Wilson	2,007,863	77,623,979
Haywood	1,122,603	41,561,803	Yadkin	425,089	17,222,252
Henderson	1,912,371	71,214,788	Yancey	230,096	7,793,976
Hertford	550,329	19,628,746	Foreign	45,377,950	1,490,798,495
Hoke	200,319	8,238,567	Utility services,		
Hyde	47,990	1,721,100	satellite, & liquor	46,967,074	***
Iredell	3,294,565	120,966,640	8% Hwy. use tax	2,709,339	***
Jackson	628,298	20,248,177			
Johnston	2,522,386	99,893,741			
Jones	71,593	2,440,236			
Lee	1,524,810	55,310,599			
Lenoir	1,721,616	69,877,560			
Lincoln	1,044,632	40,839,921	<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>\$ 318,274,006</b>	<b>\$ 9,638,117,650</b>

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**TABLE 2. STATE SALES AND USE TAX: GROSS COLLECTIONS AND GROSS RETAIL SALES  
BY CITIES WITH POPULATION IN EXCESS OF 5,000<sup>1</sup>**

March 2002 Report

City	Gross Collections*	Gross Retail Sales**	City	Gross Collections*	Gross Retail Sales**
Albemarle	\$ 862,461	\$ 34,278,068	Kings Mountain	\$ 242,296	12,585,266
Apex	656,421	20,345,602	Kinston	1,461,442	59,085,762
Archdale	132,880	5,573,713	Knightdale	265,856	8,568,588
Asheboro	1,044,939	36,350,960	Laurinburg	557,347	19,821,621
Asheville	5,885,583	189,771,016	Lenoir	774,775	31,171,898
Belmont	216,376	18,164,475	Lewisville	54,743	3,267,278
Bessemer City	43,800	1,963,717	Lexington	1,070,415	39,949,247
Black Mountain	187,153	9,935,164	Lincolnton	499,086	19,770,523
Boone	976,697	28,019,356	Lumberton	1,310,897	42,768,769
Brevard	376,740	12,659,177	Matthews	1,635,247	47,330,432
Burlington	2,285,614	81,585,939	Mebane	203,966	10,841,431
Carrboro	319,710	12,989,929	Mint Hill	76,534	4,358,137
Cary	3,668,575	141,614,830	Monroe	1,534,875	66,960,052
Chapel Hill	1,862,262	63,304,319	Mooresville	1,166,823	39,590,978
Charlotte	28,604,303	995,143,415	Morehead City	839,015	27,973,786
Cherryville	115,289	5,442,682	Morganton	852,619	31,965,793
Clayton	308,917	12,144,558	Morrisville	399,877	17,507,518
Clemmons	275,915	10,604,561	Mt. Airy	988,916	43,916,905
Clinton	651,193	26,820,723	Mt. Holly	88,759	4,049,067
Concord	2,410,850	98,951,724	New Bern	1,365,411	45,674,147
Conover	231,451	11,507,162	Newton	202,475	8,799,334
Cornelius	485,553	22,405,993	Oak Island	7,400	175,406
Davidson	115,791	5,543,906	Oxford	352,842	16,160,724
Dunn	718,183	22,870,653	Pinehurst	142,099	10,252,895
Durham	9,431,827	282,279,648	Raleigh	15,790,352	517,014,734
Eden	387,103	13,279,047	Reidsville	390,740	18,103,596
Edenton	169,804	8,410,214	Roanoke Rapids	667,939	24,371,904
Elizabeth City	870,152	30,037,538	Rockingham	631,281	19,390,785
Elon	49,494	1,506,113	Rocky Mount	2,279,186	78,671,598
Fayetteville	5,847,623	197,802,131	Roxboro	533,228	19,611,221
Forest City	379,279	13,829,454	Salisbury	1,482,899	51,829,190
Fuquay-Varina	451,251	16,411,272	Sanford	1,324,598	47,656,920
Garner	1,207,544	35,862,289	Selma	162,416	6,547,332
Gastonia	3,135,483	109,787,806	Shelby	1,111,991	44,594,239
Goldsboro	2,129,464	69,881,027	Siler City	342,770	13,537,073
Graham	273,429	10,007,922	Smithfield	892,568	40,524,251
Greensboro	11,377,880	431,073,358	Southern Pines	852,688	26,989,863
Greenville	3,198,482	108,628,223	Spring Lake	276,867	7,908,128
Hamlet	55,284	3,447,194	Statesville	1,470,354	55,695,077
Havelock	206,105	8,636,562	Summerfield	26,845	2,169,698
Henderson	768,197	29,666,529	Tarboro	326,178	11,230,428
Hendersonville	1,287,441	44,215,718	Thomasville	604,120	25,577,028
Hickory	3,471,957	110,592,309	Trinity	2,896	3,677,476
High Point	2,556,943	115,305,082	Wake Forest	440,281	14,890,254
Hillsborough	370,879	16,637,479	Washington	530,773	20,470,872
Holly Springs	51,053	2,026,602	Waynesville	621,930	22,855,645
Hope Mills	315,100	10,880,117	Weddington	6,170	379,752
Huntersville	831,711	25,228,305	Whiteville	624,569	21,430,591
Indian Trail	239,801	8,393,384	Williamston	312,736	11,030,830
Jacksonville	2,141,344	73,621,195	Wilmington	4,998,416	186,247,708
Kannapolis	792,485	26,476,774	Wilson	1,728,759	62,858,421
Kernersville	906,035	41,958,220	Winston-Salem	8,630,525	328,949,035
Kill Devil Hills	270,869	7,599,731			
King	151,305	6,112,645	<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>\$ 168,919,775</b>	<b>\$ 6,024,344,736</b>

<sup>1</sup> Estimated population as of April 1, 2000, prepared by the U. S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census.

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**TABLE 3. STATE SALES AND USE TAX: GROSS COLLECTIONS AND GROSS RETAIL SALES BY TYPES OF BUSINESSES**

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Type of business	Gross Collections*	Gross Retail Sales**	Type of business	Gross Collections*	Gross Retail Sales**
<b>1%, 2% and 3% Tax Group</b>	<b>\$ 5,273,297</b>	<b>\$ 436,964,005</b>	<b>Lumber &amp; Building Material Group - 4.5%</b>	<b>\$ 32,732,974</b>	<b>\$ 868,824,739</b>
001 Manufactured homes - 2%	960,903	47,770,789	601 Sheet metal shops; steel fabricators	1,505,760	50,392,212
002 Airplanes, boats, etc.- 3%	623,056	21,110,791	602 Building hardware and machine stores	187,918	7,534,007
009 Farm, mill, laundry machinery; fuel to farmers, manufacturers, laundries; other - 1%	3,689,338	368,082,425	603 Building material dealers	21,314,710	533,161,648
			604 Cabinet shops	959,636	26,375,699
			605 Electrical, plumbing and heating supply dealers	7,647,873	214,783,575
<b>Apparel Group - 4.5%</b>	<b>\$ 8,148,089</b>	<b>\$ 196,161,461</b>	606 Monument and tombstone dealers	39,799	1,854,447
101 Boot and shoe stores	1,591,446	35,961,836	607 Others	487,429	18,409,874
102 Clothing stores	5,855,361	134,475,540	608 Storm window and door dealers	589,849	16,313,277
103 Furriers	6,343	168,534			
104 Haberdasheries	22,251	495,315	<b>Unclassified Group - 4.5%</b>	<b>\$ 82,708,580</b>	<b>\$ 2,591,772,690</b>
105 Millinery shops	9,857	220,010	701 Beauty and barber shops and supply dealers	885,915	25,294,708
106 Shoe repair shops	114,795	2,677,856	702 Bookstores, school supply stores	2,132,771	66,739,776
107 Others	548,035	22,162,370	703 Newsstands	466,703	10,874,035
			704 Coal, wood, fuel oil, and bottled gas dealers	2,205,249	75,677,469
<b>Automotive Group - 4.5%</b>	<b>\$ 15,565,139</b>	<b>\$ 1,248,306,747</b>	705 Feed stores, millers, hatcheries	179,160	9,088,354
201 Motor vehicle dealers	2,454,816	623,081,787	706 Florists and nurseries	1,387,492	38,434,255
202 Service stations	1,644,074	94,948,605	707 Airplane dealers	513,693	38,363,336
203 Garages	1,749,336	75,078,866	708 Hotels, motels, cottage rentals, etc.	5,463,535	126,100,954
204 Motorcycle and bicycle dealers	729,583	31,775,688	709 Office machine and supply dealers	9,434,948	287,512,993
205 Automotive supply stores	4,616,355	176,400,706	710 Funeral homes	843,930	26,619,379
206 Others	141,975	16,056,808	711 Others	47,782,712	1,478,982,292
207 Oil and petroleum products dealers	2,094,664	138,061,597	712 Photographers, artists, photofinishers	1,403,939	44,855,579
208 Tire dealers, recappers and repairers	1,898,991	70,348,691	713 Printers, publishers, blueprinters, engravers, etc.	2,470,414	114,122,732
209 Manufactured home (mobile home) dealers	235,344	22,553,999	714 Laundries, dry cleaners, etc.	1,222,178	29,604,065
			715 Hospitals, physicians, veterinarians, etc.	2,833,965	81,965,530
<b>Food Group - 4.5%</b>	<b>\$ 49,634,773</b>	<b>\$ 1,782,902,946</b>	716 Boat and marine supply dealers	337,048	15,366,765
301 Bakeries	273,748	10,490,385	717 Pet, hobby and craft shops	1,303,114	36,356,166
302 Candy and confectionery stores	133,813	4,210,949	718 Chemical, janitorial supplies and paper products dealers	1,497,324	62,918,383
303 Dairies and dairy bars	222,288	5,470,423	719 Machine shops; locksmiths, etc.	344,490	22,895,919
304 Grocery stores, meat markets, etc.	16,288,769	1,003,394,653			
305 Vending machine operators; drink stands	1,904,154	48,056,834	<b>Utility Services, Satellite and Liquor - 2.83%, 3%, 5% and 6%</b>	<b>\$ 46,967,074</b>	<b>***</b>
306 Restaurants, cafeterias, grills, snack bars, etc.	29,686,708	678,785,289			
307 Others	194,594	9,126,619	<b>Total Retail Sales and Use Group</b>	<b>\$ 315,564,667</b>	<b>\$ 9,638,117,650</b>
308 Taverns, nightclubs, etc.	930,699	23,367,794			
			<b>8% Hwy. Use Tax - Motor Vehicle Leasing</b>	<b>\$ 2,709,339</b>	<b>***</b>
<b>Furniture Group - 4.5%</b>	<b>\$ 13,571,674</b>	<b>\$ 378,209,882</b>			
401 Furniture stores	5,293,645	158,057,987			
402 Household appliance dealers and repair services	3,992,732	99,469,341			
403 Musical merchandise dealers	688,642	17,213,641			
404 Industrial, office and store furniture and fixture dealers	820,088	21,309,509			
405 Others	188,745	10,694,252			
406 Awning and venetian blind dealers	115,351	2,897,475			
407 Antique dealers; interior decorators	1,038,075	26,869,530			
408 Upholstery shops; floor covering dealers	1,434,397	41,698,147			
			<b>Grand Total - All Groups</b>	<b>\$ 318,274,006</b>	<b>\$ 9,638,117,650</b>
<b>General Merchandise Group - 4.5%</b>	<b>\$ 60,963,067</b>	<b>\$ 2,134,975,180</b>			
501 Department stores	8,385,945	197,613,937			
502 Drugstores; drug and medical supply houses	4,174,863	358,540,635			
503 Dry goods stores; fabric and yarn shops	291,863	8,365,902			
504 Farm implement and supply stores	1,210,217	48,009,847			
505 Discount stores; general stores	22,144,150	680,637,881			
506 Hardware stores	2,235,657	63,180,454			
507 Jewelry stores; watch and clock repair shops	1,987,649	48,796,747			
508 Leather and leather goods stores	35,851	2,042,598			
509 Industrial machinery and supply dealers	2,883,075	141,496,519			
510 Secondhand goods stores; flea markets	312,982	7,717,928			
511 Sporting goods stores; toy shops	2,166,439	59,962,496			
512 Variety stores; 5 & 10 specialty stores	2,376,361	60,326,520			
513 Others	8,629,673	332,315,658			
514 Paint, wallpaper, and glass stores	1,251,017	41,008,657			
515 Pawn shops; army surplus stores, etc.	459,957	11,446,171			
516 Road building equipment and supply dealers	1,557,366	51,825,869			
517 Gift and novelty shops; coin dealers	860,002	21,687,361			

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